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SUBJ: PRC CIVAIR RELATIONS WITH SCANDINAVIA

1. INFORMATION RECENTLY GIVEN DEPTOFF BY HENRY SODERBERG, VP, FOREIGN AFFAIRS, SAS, RE PROSPECTS SAS SERVICE TO PRC VIA USSR CONFLICTS WITH THAT REPORTED BY NORWEGIAN EMBASSY (PARA 5 REFTEL). HE SAID SOVIETS WERE QUITE PUT OUT WITH SCANS FOR NEGOTIATING THIS ROUTE WITH PRC BEFORE USSR AND THAT SAS HAD NO EXPECTATION SOVIETS WOULD GRANT NECESSARY RIGHTS FOR LONG TIME. ASIDE FROM PROBABLY SOVIET POLITICAL OBJECTIONS TO THIRD COUNTRY AIRLINE LINKS BETWEEN USSR AND PRC AND ABSENCE AVIATION QUID PRO QUO SCANS COULD OFFER SOVIETS, SOVIETS WOULD HAVE TO OPEN UP NEW INTERNATIONAL AIRWAYS WHICH SODERBERG FELT WAS UNLIKELY .

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2. SINCE OTHERS ARE OR MAY BE SEEKING SIMILAR RIGHTS

(E.G. FINLAND), DEPARTMENT WOULD BE INTERESTED IN ANY
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION THIS SUBJECT WHICH ADDRESSEES MAY
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